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TAGS: EINV, CY

SUBJ: PROPOSED OPIC - SPONSORED INVESTMENT MISSION TO CYPRUS

REF: STATE 084574

1. GOC AND SENIOR BUSINESS COMMUNITY CONTACTED BY EMBASSY EAGER TO HAVE U.S. BUSINESS EXECUTIVES EXPLORE ADVANTAGES OF INVESTING IN CYPRUS.

2. RELATIVE ADVANTAGES OF CYPRUS INVESTMENTS ENHANCED BY RECENTLY ESTABLISHED FREE INDUSTRIAL ZONES. INVESTMENT IN FACILITIES FOR PRODUCTION, MANUFACTURING OR ASSEMBLY CAN BE GEARED TO EXPANDING MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA MARKETS. WHILE LOCAL CYPRUS MARKET ITSELF REMAINS SMALL CYPRUS HAS FINE INFRASTRUCTURE AND COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES TO SERVE BUSINESS INTERESTS.

3. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS INCLUSION OF CYPRUS IN MISSION'S ITINERARY. EMBASSY WELCOMES VISIT BY OPIC DIRECTOR JOHNSTON. CONTACT WILL BE ECON/COMM OFFICER B. KOSHELEFF. CRAWFORD

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